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A PHOTOGRAPH OF COLUMBIA STREET, PORT JEFFERSON, N.Y.

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FEATURING: THE COLUMBIA STREET CASE; DID IT REALLY HAPPEN?

LINDA HOWE: AN EXCERPT FROM HER NEW BOOK;  
ANIMAL MUTILATIONS IN ARKANSAS  
REPORTS ON THE SEPTEMBER, 1988 SMITH'S POINT  
SIGHTING AND THE MASTIC BEACH CASE OF NOVEMBER  
1988.

PLUS: MANY MORE FEATURES AND A ROUND-UP OF CASES  
FROM OUR 1988 INVESTIGATIONS.

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## THE LONG ISLAND SCENE

.... As of press time the most recent reports for the month of June indicate that we are again entering a period of activity.... A retired police officer from the Port Jefferson area reported that on June 16, 1989 at 1:30 P.M. he saw a strange silver or gray cigar shape object about one mile distance from the intersection of Jayne Blvd. and Nesconset Highway. The estimated size is in the area of 600 feet long .... On the following day in the area of North Bellport a gentleman was relaxing in his backyard at 7:40 P.M. when he saw, about 1 mile distance, a fluorescent orange cigar shaped object at least 600 feet long passing from cloud to cloud following the East bound direction of Sunrise Highway .... The witness stated that he could see bright yellow lights along the length of the object .... Reports from the North Shore communities of Sound Beach, Rocky Point, Wading River, Ridge and Shoreham indicate that the phenomenon known as the "Balls of Light" are occurring at epidemic levels .... The police in the Sixth Precinct were being flooded with reports of "High Strangeness" from these areas .... These reports center on balls of light following peoples' cars and appearing in their homes .... As reported by witnesses they are three dimensional and appear to be under intelligent control .... Reports indicate that they also will pursue persons .... There have also been reports that have been given us by several persons of sudden bright illuminations of rooms by a blue white light of great intensity .... This has happened late at night in their bedrooms .... The witnesses claim that the light is so intense that they can not see shadows under their furniture .... The secret is out .... LIUFON has been investigating an alleged landing sight of a UFO.... The location is on a private horse farm in the Speonk area .... The landing occurred in September of 1987. The customary circle of dead grass is visible and we do have an eyewitness to the event .... When the final tests are in, the Reporter will issue a summary .... LIUFON is receiving ~~reports of more missing time cases and strange phenomena~~ from witnesses claiming UFO encounters .... The trend seems to continue with each report .... There were a number of persons in February who called the South Shore Press to report strange intense blinking lights in the woods on Barnes Road in Shirley on the nights of February 8th, 9th, and 10th .... as reported by Brian Ward, Editor .... The witnesses state it happened at 3:30 A.M. each night and afterwards military helicopters were in the area .... A report from Islip on November 22, 1988 from a young woman indicates that at 3:00 A.M. while she was in her kitchen getting a drink of water she saw a football shape craft come in from the Southwest and hover over her neighbor's house .... The size was at least 80 to 120 feet long and was composed of hundreds of white lights ....

THE CHAIRMAN'S CORNER:

THE COLUMBIA STREET CASE: A CASE OF  
GOVERNMENT COVER-UP: DID IT REALLY HAPPEN?



THIS IS A PHOTO OF THE AREA IN WHICH IT HAPPENED. THE ARROW MARKS WHERE THE POLICE CARS PARKED AND THE "X" MARKS THE LOCATION WHERE THE POST OFFICE TRUCK WAS BUZZED. THE PHOTO WAS TAKEN IN THE COURSE OF LIUFON'S INVESTIGATION.

In the month of January 1989, a LIUFON investigating team composed of six members of our investigating staff undertook an investigation of an abductee's story in the Port Jefferson area. The case centered around a wealthy advertising executive's story that he was abducted off his yacht in February of 1988. During the course of an intensive interview and in the presence of three LIUFON investigators the gentleman related how he told friends and family about his experience. The interview which was tape recorded produced another story which was just as astounding as his own. It seems he had told a life long friend who was a police officer in Suffolk County his story. His friend's reply was to tell of an incident which had taken place in the Sixth Precinct which encompasses the Port Jefferson area on Columbia Street and involved a UFO buzzing three police cars responding to three civilian complaints of a UFO over their homes. The friend had heard it from several officers who worked in the Sixth Precinct.

As a result of this interview and several follow-ups, the abductee's story of his case was investigated. It also resulted in the launch of an intensive investigation

into the story about the Columbia incident. In February 1989 a field team of investigators from LIUFON examined the reported location. It was near the railroad track at the end of the Port Jefferson branch of the LIRR. The police cars were reportedly buzzed as they responded to a call from the initial unit on the scene which had called for assistance. They were buzzed in a parking field which adjoins a lumber yard on Columbia Street and the object had come to within a fifteen feet of the cars.

The field team from LIUFON conducted a radiological survey of the area. There was no detectable radiation. The area was also extensively photographed for the records. A canvass of the area produced no witnesses to the event.

Meanwhile several LIUFON investigators were employed in a covert investigation to contact sources which might know of the incident through Suffolk County Government circles. The chain of events would prove to strike pay dirt.

Several of our investigators had contacted informants who had knowledge of the incident. The stories were the same, but contained some minor variances. They had known of this occurrence through their government occupations or had come to know of it since they were acquaintance with some of the principals.

On February 4th and 28th of this year, three LIUFON investigators reported their findings. After receiving some substantial information from confidential sources the circumstances surrounding the incident began to emerge. The story was this: The exact date as first reported to LIUFON investigators were October 18, 1988 at 4:35 P.M. (this was later verified to have been October 19, 1988 by additional sources on April 25, 1989 at 6:35 P.M.)

An object described to us as a 40 foot oval disc came down along Columbia Street. It was reported to have buzzed three civilian witnesses' homes and backyards. They called the police. A U.S. Post Office tractor truck was about to cross the railroad tracks on Columbia Street when it was buzzed by the object. The driver panicked and fled his vehicle; fleeing to a civilian residence to summon the police. At about five or ten minutes later the first Police car responded, pulling into the parking field next to the lumber yard. The truck was blocking the intersection. The Police car was the next victim. It was buzzed with the object coming to within fifteen feet of the vehicle's roof. The officer radioed for help. Three additional cars responded with a total of four more officers. The object now repeatedly buzzed the Police cars with the officers responding by exiting their cruisers and drawing their guns. The object lifted up and sped off to the north east. It is not known whether the Police fired on the vehicle or not.

What happened next is the sinister part. The civilian witnesses and the Police officers were all subsequently detained and debriefed at the Sixth Precinct. Also, the Post Office truck driver. The Police Officers were told not

to talk about the incident or their careers would be ruined. The civilians were told they would be subjected to repeated IRS audits. The Post Office driver was warned he was a Federal employee and would be subjected to disciplinary action if he made a public statement. National Security was involved.

It seems that night the Federal Government was summoned in the form of an unspecified Federal Intelligence agency. All police records were confiscated along with the tapes of the 911 calls. No records remain in police custody at the Sixth Precinct.

Each Precinct Commander in the Suffolk Police Department has a classified briefing manual on UFO incidents. If specifically tells in detail how to handle the situation until the Federal Government intervenes to control the incident. It came as no news to LIUFON since the past ten years researchers suspected that such a procedure exists.

In short, a cover up of an actual UFO incident occurred on Long Island. It was done at the order of the U.S. Government. The same government which in 1969, in the Condon Report, told the nation that UFO's do not exist.

On April 2, 1989 at the LIUFON Conference in Middle Island, after much scrutiny and debate, the Board of Directors of LIUFON decided to release the story to the media. At the Conference, LIUFON made a public statement on the matter.

Subsequent events showed that the Suffolk County Police denied the incident. Suffolk Life, the Patchogue-Medford Record and The Riverhead Weekender carried the police line that the incident did not occur. In some instances they made a point of doing it in jest.

What is known about the case and what is in our files is substantial. The case occurred. The incident has been tightly covered up by Federal authorities. The witnesses on Columbia Street will not come forward even after several canvasses of the neighborhood by LIUFON.

LIUFON stands by the story. Our investigators talked to six different persons who had independent knowledge of the incident. In our archives are tape recordings of conversations with these persons. Their identities are confidential. The incident is real. It did happen. It is the Suffolk County Police and the Federal Government that are covering it up. The information is based upon sources both civilian and government. It will not be confirmed or denied by LIUFON that some of these sources may be in the Suffolk County Police Department itself.

CRASH RETRIEVAL:

GOVERNMENT COVERUP AND MURDER OVER CRASHED U.F.O.'S

In June of 1988, just some two months after the founding of the Long Island U.F.O. Network, a retired New York City Narcotics Detective contacted our organization. The purpose was to give us information on the recovery of a crashed U.F.O.. The gentleman, who spent twenty-two years on the City Force, wanted to give the Network the information in case something happened to him. It seems since 1974 he had feared that he could be the target of a government assassination because of what was told to him.

It was arranged to meet with him and take a video tape interview of the subject's statement. Present was Chairman John Ford and Vice Chairman Richard Stout. The interview proceeded.

It seems that this gentleman was who he said he was. He produced enough documentation as to his past employment to attest as to his identity. He also produced documentation as to his past position as a instructor at the New York City Police Academy.

In 1974 he was assigned as a instructor at the New York City Police Academy. He was to instruct on handling Narcotic Investigations. At this time two visiting F.B.I. instructors had lectured on Criminal Psychology at the Academy. He was assigned as escort to these two agents as professional courtesy by the Department. On their last night in town, he took them out to dinner at a seafood restaurant on City Island.

During the course of the meal, the three became very friendly. One of the agents, who had been drinking very heavily, remarked at how gullible the American public was in believing everything the government said. He then proceeded to state that he and his partner knew for a fact that "Flying Saucers" were real. That in 1973 they had worked on the recovery of a crashed U.F.O. and had seen some of the reports on the recovery. It seems that they were detailed to Los Angeles to pick up a noted Doctor. He was spirited out of his home in the middle of a Cocktail Party and flown to an Air Base in Colorado. There under the tightest security imaginable, the doctor performed autopsies on seven alien bodies of the crashed disc. The good Doctor never left the base, the agent claimed, because he was injected with a cancer virus by the government which killed him in three weeks. Matter of fact anyone who had anything to do with it was systematically killed by the government across the country. The government was paying off all kinds of insurance claims to keep the victims families from talking. The detective noticed during the telling of the story that the agent's partner became alarmed and began to nudge him to stop him from telling the story. The detective felt that if some person in authority knew that this story had been repeated that he and the agents would have been killed that night.

Thus ends the tale. The only positive evidence we have that there might be truth to it, is that in the book Clear

## S I G H T I N G S

The following summaries represent just some of the cases we have investigated for the year 1988. They are being presented here for your edification since they were touched upon at our Conference in April of this year. This is being done to satisfy requests from the Membership for a greater discussion of cases dealing with Long Island.

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DATE: November 21, 1985

CASE No.

LOCATION: Port Washington and Manhasset.

SIZE: Approximately 2,000 feet.

TYPE: Disc shape.

SUMMARY:

A large disc shaped object with a dome and a ring of red rectangular windows around the edge. Object was also described as having many multi-colored lights on the bottom with what appeared to be variations in color in periodic sequences. The object was reported to have traveled across the width of Nassau County. It first appeared to witnesses near the town dock over Manhasset Bay. It then flipped on its side and sailed down the length of Main Street. As it did this a minor panic ensued along Main Street as people reacted to this strange sight. At a traffic light some witnesses observed the object from their parked cars. Others located on Hickory Street observed it from their front porch. Two witnesses in a car were able to follow the object out into Sands Point (the dune area) where they observed the object to sail out over the Sound. It then went straight up. The description of the size of the object varied from witness to witness. Some put it at only 150 feet while others described it as huge. The closest estimate based on what was described to investigators by the most reliable witness puts it in the neighborhood of between 2000 to 3000 in diameter.

The next day a newspaper article quoted the Nassau County Police as saying it was a blimp; while the F.A.A. stated it was a formation of light aircraft. It is listed in our files as unknown.

DATE: November 21, 1985

CASE NO: 0139-88

LOCATION: Manhasset

SIZE: Approximately 300/500 feet.

TYPE: Oblong or elliptical with eight large white lights on bottom.

SUMMARY:

This is a sighting of the same or possibly different object on the night of the Port Washington case. The subject was a young mother who was picking up her two young sons from a Cub Scout meeting at Wood Hall and Crab Apple Streets. Alarmed at what she saw she proceeded home. The object seemed to follow

her car. When she got home she hurried the children into the house and called for her husband, together they watched it. It hovered above the tree line for some five minutes at a low altitude. The object was large. It was dark textured and did not appear to be a conventional aircraft. The object then moved off slowly to the North. Witnesses all agreed that the cable TV network went off the air at the time of the sighting. Witnesses when interviewed stated that it was large and in excess of 300 to 500 feet.

DATE: September 4, 1988

CASE NO: 0169-88

LOCATION: Mineola

SIZE: Various

TYPE: Six to eight disc shaped objects.

SUMMARY:

A young housewife awoke early in the middle of the night. She went to get a drink of water from the kitchen sink. Looking out the window she observed quite by accident a formation of seven small objects composed of multi-colored lights at high altitude flying in various patterns. They would come together and then depart and execute right angle turns. Later they were joined by a large object of extreme size which joined together in formation with the others moving to the North East. During this she managed to awaken her husband who witnessed part of the observation. Small objects estimated from 60 to 100 feet across while the large object was in excess of 500 feet. It is listed as unknown.

DATE: June 1969

CASE NO: 0055-88

LOCATION: Lido Beach in Freeport

SIZE: Undetermined

TYPE: Amber Balls.

SUMMARY:

An on-duty Freeport Police Officer, on foot patrol, observed three large amber balls appear out over the water. Distance from observer was 500 feet away. Objects are self-illuminated. They appeared in a triangle formation changing into a line abreast formation. Altitude was 300 feet above water. Objects were motionless and made no sound. After a while they moved to the West and disappeared from sight. Witness since retired from force never made a report on sighting, since he feared dismissal from Police Force. Only reported it when he heard of existence of LIUFON. The story is hard to verify, since witness never made a report to his department. It should be noted that his identity is confidential and he does not seek any publicity concerning his case. He has over twenty-six years of Law Enforcement experience to his credit and an impeccable reputation. Listed in our files as unknown.



DATE: February 13, 1988

CASE NO.: A 0005-88

LOCATION: North Bellport, Suffolk County

SIZE: Approximately 1,000 feet in diameter

TYPE: Large silver mushroom shape

SUMMARY:

A retired business woman was awakened by her dog at 4:50 A.M. The dog acted strangely as if he wanted to go out. The woman went to the Patio door to let the dog out only to be refused by him. He wouldn't budge. In the process of closing the door the woman observed out across her yard, hovering above Sunrise Highway, south of the area in which she observed the object, a large silver object. Partially obscured by clouds, the subject was smooth and looked like polished aluminum. She watched it for several seconds trying to figure what it was. It cork screwed straight up into the sky and disappeared from sight. The witness is not seeking publicity and her identity is confidential. She claims never to have believed in UFO's until this sighting. Case listed as unknown.

DATE: Unknown

CASE NO.: 0142-88

LOCATION: Shoreham

SIZE: Unknown, but witness stated it was immense.

TYPE: Cigar shaped object.

SUMMARY:

This case is based upon a report given to us by William Knell which he investigated. A guard on duty at the Shoreham plant under construction at the time, observed a large luminous object appear to the North of the plant site. As it approached at high speed and at high altitude it appeared as a long cigar shaped object. It moved off to the South. This sighting lasted less than a minute. The witness requests confidential identity status and does not seek publicity. He is a professional guard by trade and fears that public disclosure of his identity would cause him loss of employment. Case is listed as unknown.

DATE: March or February 1971

CASE NO.: 0132-88

LOCATION: LIExpressway, Exit either 55 or 56

SIZE: Minimum of 300 feet in diameter

TYPE: Large disc shaped object with dome and lights

SUMMARY:

Object was seen by a woman and her young son while traveling West on the Long Island Expressway. The location is not known for certain but it is estimated to be between exits 55 or 56. While in their car the two claim to have seen an immense disc shaped object off to the side of the road. The object was a huge disc with a pronounced dome on the top. It was hovering over a warehouse which was adjacent to the Expressway. The object had multi-colored lights around the bottom with a beam of white lights which was illuminating the warehouse below.

DATE: Summer of 1968

CASE NO. 0057-88, 0058-88 and 0059-88

LOCATION: Bethpage

SIZE: 60 80 feet in diameter

TYPE: Disc with some windows around edge and many multi-colored lights.

SUMMARY:

For some twenty (20) years this family kept what they saw a secret until they contacted LIUFON. While living in a Garden Apartment, a complex in Bethpage, which is located behind one of Grumman's facilities, they observed a disc shaped object one night. While watching TV this particular evening the mother observed a craft sail over the apartment building across the courtyard and hover at the second floor bedroom window of their neighbor's apartment. The object was polished aluminum with a dome. It had windows around the edge of the object with many multi-colored lights. The woman let out a scream and the rest of the family rushed from the TV set to watch. Both the husband and daughter plus a visiting aunt and uncle were witnesses. Object then lifted up and moved off to the West. Family stated they felt it was acting as if it did not want to be noticed, but was observing the Grumman facility. They never contacted any authorities or reported the occurrence. Their identities are confidential and they do not want publicity. The case is listed as an unknown.

DATE: December 27, 1987

CASE NO: 0030-88

LOCATION: Lindenhurst, from Delaware Ave. along Sunrise Hwy. to So. Shore Mall.

SIZE: 300 feet. Altitude 80 feet above roadway.

TYPE: Oblong or disc shaped object. Had six to ten large white lights along edge of craft. It was dark textured.

SUMMARY:

At 8:15 P.M. December 27th two engaged couples noticed at the intersection of Delaware Ave. and Sunrise Highway an oblong object in the sky above the Highway, floating down the Highway. When they entered the Highway they were able to pace the object which followed them until they reached the South Shore Mall. Here they exiting the car and watched the object. The witnesses when interviewed stated it was being escorted by at least twelve light aircraft that appeared to be military observation planes. The case is listed as unknown.

DATE: Fall of 1978

CASE NO. 0046-88

LOCATION: North Shirley

SIZE: Width 75 feet and over-all length was 150 feet.

TYPE: Boomerang

SUMMARY:

This sighting was witnessed by a man and his family in their car. They had just exited a restaurant in No. Shirley when this object came down and buzzed the car. The object boomerang shaped and illuminated by many multi-colored lights over the entire surface of the craft. It also had large flood lights about two feet in diameter. As it moved off to the West the man moved up to the next intersection, and observed the craft as it sailed off in the direction of the Long Island Expressway. The gentleman reported it to police, MacArthur Airport and the Vanderbilt Planetarium. Nobody could give him an explanation or verify it. His identity is confidential and he seeks no publicity. The case is listed as unknown.

We hope you have enjoyed some of these cases. It is our aim to present more in our next issue and to deal with some of the cases in more depth. We also hope to publish some of the drawings witnesses have given to us.

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The following is an excerpt from Linda Howe's  
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Forward by: Jacques Vallee

"Early Friday morning, March 10, 1989, five  
pregnant cows were found dead by L.C. Wyatt on his  
property in Hempstead County, Arkansas. Nearby  
Hope, Arkansas, also reported mutilations in 1987.  
Arkansas has long been a focus of the mutilations.

"Mr. Wyatt was amazed to find the cows laid  
out in a straight line in one of his pastures  
near an old abandoned logging road. He had  
seen them alive and well two days before with  
the rest of his herd. One cow had its legs  
drawn up 'as if it had been running and was  
zapped by something' said Jim Williamson,  
Editor of the Little River News in Ashdown.

"Mr. Wyatt contacted the Hempstead County  
Sheriff's Department and two deputies were  
dispatched to the farm. Their conclusion was  
that some kind of instrument was involved in  
the excisions, but there was no obvious sign  
of what had killed the cows.



"That same day around 6 p.m., Little River News Associate Editor Juanita Stripling went to Mr. Wyatt's farm to take black and white photographs.

'The first look at the scene gave the impression the cows were dropped dead in their tracks. One cow was lying on her right side. There was a large, round cut out area with the calf lying just outside the cow and still in the embryo sac. The cut area was neat, precise and approximately 1 3/4 to 2 inches deep. There was no blood on the ground or on the body of the cow or calf. There was also no dampness on the ground of water or body fluids.'

"Four other cows were laid out in a straight line, all but one with their legs straight out. The rectal areas 'were distended and it seemed as if they had been bored around in approximately a 1/4 inch deep smooth circle.'

"As Juanita Stripling and Little River News Editor Jim Williamson took photographs of the dead cows, Jim remembered that on Thursday evening, March 9, he noticed a 'golden glow' light similar to ones he had photographed in 1988. He watched it for three minutes above the REA (Rural Electric Association) substation. The distance between the light and where the heifers were found the next morning is about fifty aerial miles.

"A few hours later in the dark after Juanita Stripling took her photographs and left the farm, veterinarian Dr. James Powell of Hope, Arkansas and Hempstead County Sheriff Don Worthy went to the mutilation site. Using flashlights to see, Dr. Powell cut open some of the cows and took stomach and organ samples. It has not been explained why the men chose to work in the dark. As this book went to print, neither man was cooperating with the Little River News nor another local veterinarian who was concerned about the case.

"However, Little River News Editor Jim Williamson contacted me and I called Dr. John Altshuler, the pathologist and hematologist who had seen and taken tissue samples from mutilated Lady in 1967. (San Luis Valley of Colorado) Dr. Altshuler instructed Jim to get a new straight razor. In the hide of the cow that had the large belly excision, Dr. Altshuler asked Jim Williamson to cut a rectangle of cowhide that would include the mutilator's cut in one corner with normal cow tissue in the rest of the sample. Jim cut tissue from the belly and eye excisions and sent them in 10% formaldehyde solution by Federal Express to us in Denver for analysis. I was at Dr. Altshuler's lab when he prepared the tissues for microscope examination.

"The following are color photographs and comments by Dr. Altshuler about the cow tissue which, in his words, 'prove that the cutting was done quickly with a hot instrument of some kind.' The microscope used for the photographs was a Reichart Microstar IV.

'Examination of the tissues after fixation revealed cut edges to be very hard, difficult to cut and appearing somewhat darker than the surrounding tissues. Sections were taken perpendicular to the cuts so that on a single microscopic slide normal and mutilated cut tissue could be compared.

'Photomicrograph Number 1 has an arrow which points to the cut line. The abnormal tissue on the left shows a smudged pink change with nuclear fragmentation (blue dotted particles) indicating tissue destruction and death. These changes are referred to as coagulative necrosis. The band between cutting margin and normal tissue is quite thin, suggesting that the dissection was done with what appears to be pinpoint accuracy and minimal dissipation of heat at the cut line.

'Photomicrograph 2 shows dark pinkish-blue parallel bundles of cells at the cut edge of the tissue. These changes are referred to as the 'string bean' sign indicating tissue exposure to high heat as in laser or hot needle surgery.

'In Photomicrograph 3, the tissue is from below the hide surface and is called dermis. The blue dots in the lower portion of the photo show relatively normal gland structures in the dermis. The upper portion clearly shows spaces called vacuolar changes which result from tissue cooking or exposure to high temperatures, probably above 300 degrees F.

'In the lower left hand corner of Photomicrograph 4 is a distinct color change from a light normal pink to a dark pink. The darker collagen tissue is damaged from some injury source, but shows a striking lack of inflammatory change. This suggests that the procedure of injury was relatively fast. Tissue classically responds to injury over sustained time with inflammatory cells, a finding absent in all sections of the cut edges of the mutilated tissues.

'Although numerous observers have reported a lack of any blood in or around the mutilated animals, lack of blood in destruction areas of tissue under microscopic examination is not significant. Microscopic evaluation of vascular channels is limited to very small blood vessels. Looking at the whole animal is more valuable in assessing the presence or absence of blood.

'Taking all the microscopic findings into account,

one would have to conclude that the surgical procedure performed on these animals took place quickly, probably in a minute or two, and utilized high temperature heat (for example, laser) as a cutting source applied to a fine probe or cutting instrument.'

"Dr. Altshuler's confirmation of a probable pinpoint heat source associated with the mutilators' cuts reminded me of a 1981 case on the Grass family's ranch east of Pine Ridge, South Dakota. Charlena Grass sent me a letter on October 3, 1981.

'Here is the tail hair that was left by the steer that was found out here by our place.' She said a neighbor had seen a strange light that spring. That was three years before the Grass family suffered five mutilations in 1984 while another neighbor, Clayton Merchen, was repeatedly visited by a UFO.

"I took the steer's tail hair to the Histology Department at the University of Colorado Medical Center on October 30 and November 2, 1981 for examination and color photographs. The instrument we used was a Zeiss Photo Microscope at a 6.3 power. A lab technician said it looked like heat. I cut the hair with hot scissors, but could not match the mutilator's cut. Laser was also suggested, but none was available to test the hair. The first significant laser use in medical surgery began in the late 1970's to early 1980's. In 1979-1980 when I produced the film A Strange Harvest, I asked a laser surgeon at Rose Medical Center in Denver to demonstrate laser cuts on poultry bodies for my camera. It took him about seventeen minutes to remove a 2-inch diameter by 1/8 inch deep circle of flesh after a team of experts took nearly a half hour to set up the bulky equipment. To make large cuts, I was told then and in 1989, surgeons still use scalpels or electric cauterizers.

Jim Williamson also contacted a large laser equipment manufacturer called Questek in Billerica, Massachusetts to find out more about current laser technology. The Little River News reported in the April 20, 1989 edition:

'A sales engineer said a laser required to make the type cuts described on the cows (at the L. C. Wyatt farm) would weigh 550 pounds and would be the size of an average office desk. The length of the laser would be three feet.

'With the existing known laser equipment, surgery covering that large of an area on just one cow would take about an hour in a hospital facility.

'He also said the equipment is expensive with an average cost of about \$20,000. This does not include electrical generators required. The electrical wiring would require a minimum of 220 volts and probably require specialized wiring.

'Safety factors would also be required to protect the eyes from the heat in addition to a cooling system.'"

( CONTINUED FROM PAGE 3A )

Intent by Lawrence Fawcett and Barry J. Greenwood; 1984 Prentice Hall Inc., on pages 66, 67 and 68 the story of a recovered U.F.O. in 1973. These pages detail the story by a young Naval Intelligence Recruit who was stationed at the Great Lakes Naval Training Center in 1973. Supposedly he saw in a restricted hanger there a recovered U.F.O. which may have been shot down by a U.S. Destroyer with an anti-aircraft missile off the San Diego coast earlier that year. This story which was included in the book is based upon the research by noted U.F.O. researcher Leonard Stringfield.

LIUFON has contacted Mr. Stringfield on this case along with Linda Moulton Howe. Through our combined efforts it has been concluded that this case may be part of the same story of the Great Lakes Naval Center object. It may be part of the history of its examination.

In short, if both stories are true, then the government may have recovered another U.F.O. in 1973 apart from the Roswell object. The implications of this story are also frightening to the public. It shows that the government will go to no lengths in keeping the ultimate secret...even murder.

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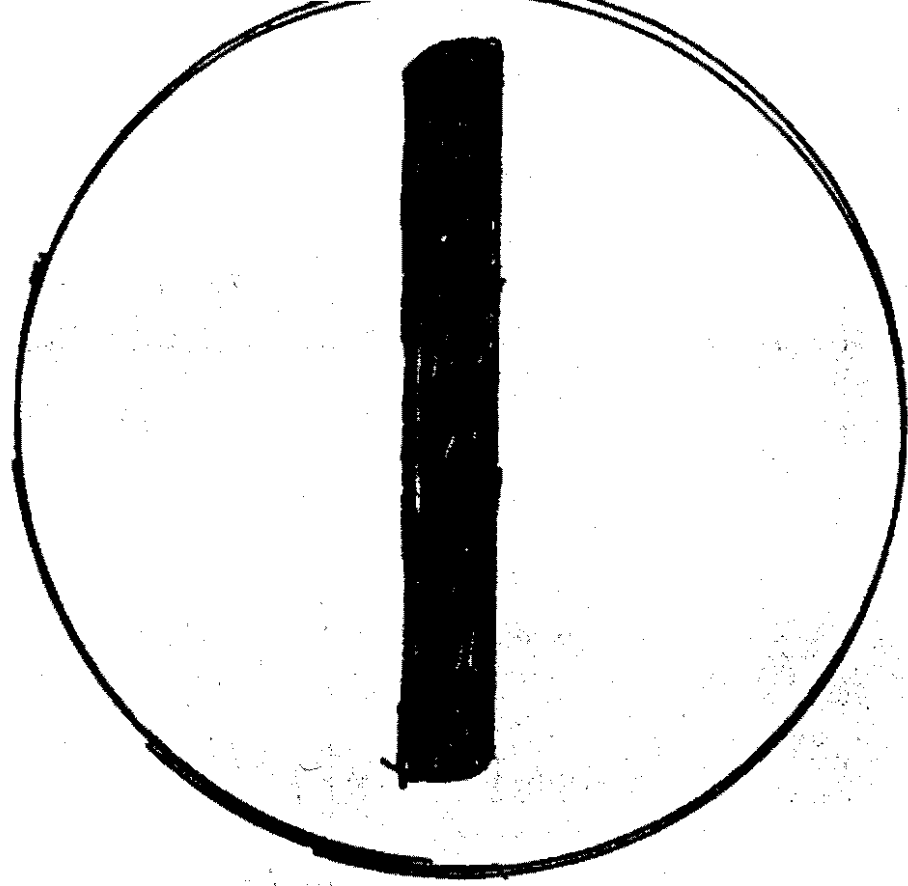
#### THE PATCHOGUE BAY CASE: ANOTHER COVERUP ?

Another reported case of government coverup has occurred this year on Long Island. While pursuing our investigation of the Columbia Street case this was brought to our attention. It also involved the Federal Government and the Suffolk County Police Department. It happened on January 30, 1989 at 4:30 p.m. over Patchogue Bay.

A sixty foot polished aluminum, oval disc was reported to the police by civilian witnesses. A police unit was sent to the scene. It arrived at the town docks where it was instructed to keep the object under observation. Pending the arrival of other units, the police car kept in radio contact with the Fifth Precinct on the objects position. A second unit arrived, relieving the first car, with two officers who took four very good pictures of the object. It traveled East Bound across the Bay going straight up at a forty five degree angle into the sky.

Again the Federal Government stepped in seizing the records of the incident and the photographs. The civilian and police witnesses were silenced by intimidation. The Police Department, however, kept copies of the pictures. They are in a secure file cabinet at Yaphank Police Headquarters with access available to the Top Brass.

Part of the verification of this case has been made through our confidential informants. The other rests with a civilian informant who was monitoring the Police Channels on his scanner that day. The Police deny it ever happened.

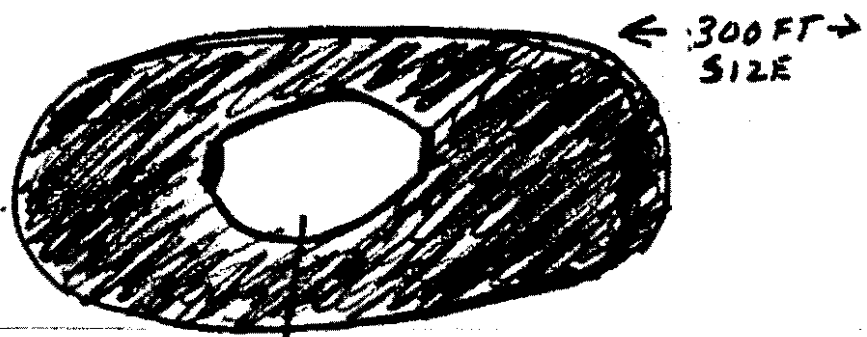


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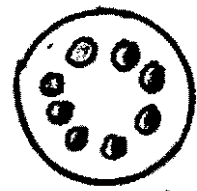
SMITH'S POINT BEACH OBJECT

SEPT. 1988



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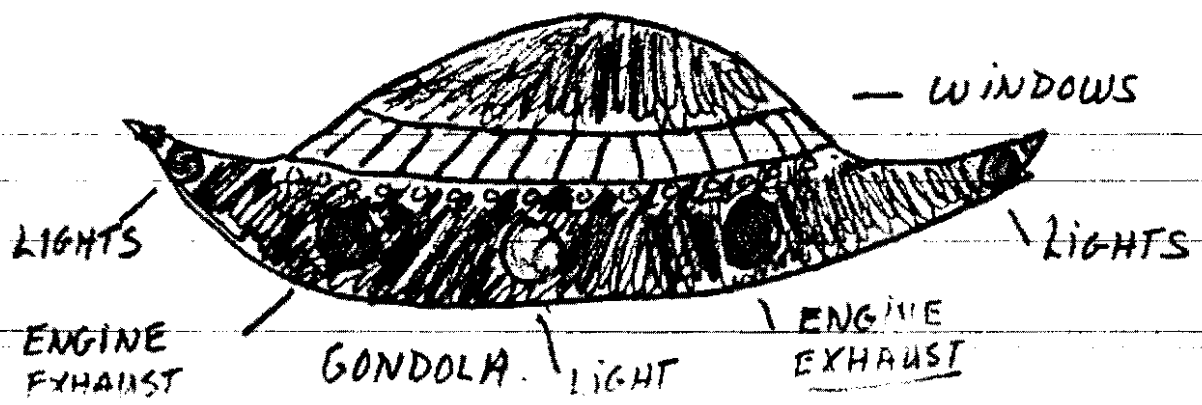


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MASTIC BEACH OBJECTS  
NOVEMBER 30, 1988

GONDOLA'S POSITION ON UNDERSIDE

OBJECT #3





CASES: 0086-88, 0097-88 and 0142-88  
FROM THE ARCHIVES OF THE LONG ISLAND U.F.O. NETWORK.

### THE SMITH'S POINT BEACH SIGHTINGS

Randy and her son Seth were at Smith's Point Beach for a pleasant day of sun and surf. What happened that day on September 1, 1988, is something the two will never forget. It was alien to their everyday experiences.

They were at the Beach to catch the last few days of sun before Smith's Point close for the season. It was a clear and sunny day and Randy's girl friend accompanied them to the Beach.

About 4:00 p.m., they noticed that everyone on the beach was excited and looking towards the Southern sky over the Ocean. Looking in the same direction, they noticed a long cigar shaped object vertical to the horizon and enclosed in a clear bubble. The object appeared to be at a high altitude and several miles off the shore.

All the lifeguards saw the object from the beach and a estimated one hundred persons were on the beach that day. From the excitement the object was causing, Randy, Seth, and her girl friend stood and watched the object. They were ~~thrilled at~~ the spectacle; convinced they were observing a U.F.O..

The object's size was immense, as stated before, with it appearing to be brightly illuminated. It was composed of a polished metallic finish closely resembling polished aluminum or stainless steel. The light could have been from the reflection of the sun's rays. It was silent, had no exhaust trail, and did not cause electrical interference with the many radios playing on the beach. The surface was smooth with no apparent windows, doors, markings, lights or wings. ~~The clear globe that encompassed the object was~~ of immense size estimated to be three times the size of the cigar shaped object. The globe was transparent but gave the appearance of being three dimensional and solid.

The witnesses stated they saw several aircraft in the area. They saw two airliners pass by. They appeared much smaller than that of the object's size. There were four light airplanes in the area of the sighting. One noticed the object and attempted to climb and obtain a better look. The witnesses stated the plane appeared as a speck against the immense size of the object. The pilot at the last moment veered off from the thing.

The sighting lasted for at least an hour. It was visible to all on the beach with the naked eye. The object continued to float, after hovering near the shoreline, out to sea. It eventually disappeared from sight.

After getting home, Randy contacted us. A statement was taken from her over the phone. Her girl friend declined to give us a statement. On September 9, 1988 a video interview was conducted with Randy and Seth. The witnesses gave us

drawings of the object ( see page 13 ). Both mother and son were convinced they saw something unusual. Neither had had a U.F.O. experience before. The mother claimed to have been skeptic on the subject before the sighting.

LIUFON carried out inquiries to the FAA which proved to be useless. They were uncooperative. From the estimated one hundred witnesses on the beach that day, only Randy and her son were the only ones to contact us. The South Shore Press, located in Mastic Beach, carried a story about the sighting the next week.

In response to the story, a lady by the name of Mary Franks contacted us. We took a statement from her at her home. It was video taped. It seems she was camping with her husband at the Smith's Point Beach Public Campsite on the dates of either September 2nd or 3rd. She states that they saw a tremendous cigar shaped object hovering to the East of the Beach, in the late afternoon. She was not sure of the dates. It could have been the 1st, she does not know. It could have been the same time and date of Randy's sighting.

This was a smooth surfaced object of great length. It hovered in the sky for hours at the location. It had series of red and green blinking lights at either end . It was there until the early evening, when she last saw it. After that it had disappeared. She did not see a clear globe around it. It made no noise and lacked any wings or engines as far as she could see.

The Wave, a local paper published in the Rockaways in Queens, published a story about three objects appearing in that area on Saturday, September 3, 1988 and Sunday, September 4, 1988. Various Rockaway Beach residents reported it to the paper. One object was oval shaped and hovered, the other was a probe of light ( round, independently mobile object ) that emanated from the oval object and the third was cigar shaped. All appeared as white lights and, at various times, hovered over the Ocean. The oval object, also, reportedly came down over Rockaway Beach Boulevard, hovered over the area a few minutes and proceeded back out over the Ocean.

When contacted by LIUFON, the editor refused to give us the names of the witnesses who had called. However, several of the reporters at the paper had seen the objects and gave statements to LIUFON.

The objects hovered which normal aircraft don't do. They also made no noise. They moved too fast for helicopters.

Clearly, someone or something was seen along the South shore of Long Island on the days and nights of September 1st, 2nd, and 3rd. What they were in all three instances is not known. They are listed as unknowns in our files.

THE MASTIC BEACH CASE OF NOVEMBER 30, 1988

David Harris is in the construction business. He is a licensed home improvement contractor. Last year, he had finished installing a pressure treated wooden deck with a hot tub in his backyard.

As is his custom, he usually takes a dip before retiring for the night. This day had been a busy one for Dave, the nightly dip would be a welcomed period of relaxation from his busy schedule. At least he thought so. He would see something that would change his belief about U.F.O.'s.

At 10:35 P.M. on November 30, 1988, Dave was in his hot tub enjoying his nightly dip. There were light clouds and the stars were out this night. It was relatively clear. He happened to look up to the West; he observed an object come in directly over him. He, at first, thought it was a light aircraft. The object was displaying from its top a bright, white search light beam. It suddenly stopped and plunged at a 45 degree angle, Dave thought it was going to crash, when it stopped, it flipped on its side. The object hovered, displaying a pattern of eight white circular lights which it flashed on and off repeatedly. The object was no plane. The object was about 60 feet in diameter, dark in color and had a pronounced dome on its top. It then moved off quickly to the West.

Amazed, Dave could not believe his eyes. A skeptic, he had just now seen a U.F.O.. He then happened to look up again. Right above him at an altitude of perhaps several hundred feet was another object. This was a huge oval shaped object. It was dark textured with no lights on its structure. On the bottom was a gondola with many bright multi-colored lights around its surface. As the gondola's rear came into view, it had a large row of windows with red hot engine exhausts below them. It also had large beacons or search lights on the rear. The width of the structure was about eighty feet across. The large oval object was some three hundred feet across. ( See the drawings on page 13 ).

This object moved slowly to the West until it disappeared from sight. As it went it gradually rose. Dave had the impression that the smaller craft was guiding the first one in. He also felt that it was very cautious in its maneuvers and that it was acting like it was interested in the populated area beneath it.

Dave jumped out of the tub. He ran to get his roommate, who was watching T. V. inside the house. His friend, Tom McGrath, was in the living room. Responding to Dave's calls, Tom ran outside to investigate. Together, the two watched the sky for fifteen minutes for the objects' return, which never happened. Asking Dave if he was finished with the tub, Tom decided to use it himself. There was a hitch, however, for Tom and Dave checked the water temperature in the tub. The temperature was hotter than normal, beyond the normal

capacity of the system's heating element to achieve. The water with no logical explanation was too hot to use. Besides that Dave had a unexplained sunburn over his face, in the month of November no less.

The next day, December 1 1988, Dave proceeded to call the police, the airports, Coast Guard, the FAA and the Newspapers. He even called the F.B.I.. No one was interested in taking a report on what he saw, or could give an explanation. After this he called LIUFON. Immediately upon calling, Dave gave us a preliminary report which was recorded for later study.

On December 2, 1988 a LIUFON team of investigators was dispatched to the scene. A video interview was done on the witness taking his indepth statement for analysis. A field team of experienced investigators examined the backyard. Two members of the team were electronic engineers.

The field team determined the presence of magnetic effects in the backyard and unusual radiation levels in the area. Geiger counters were used for the radiation while a compass and Gaus meter were used for the magnetic fields. Non-lethal levels of radiation were detected which were higher than normal background radiation for Long Island soil in and around the backyard. Secondly, the water in the hot tub showed signs of minor radioactivity. The magnetic effects found indicated that every nail examined in the deck was magnetized. The galvanized steel tool shed was entirely magnetized, which was unusual unless it was stressed steel. The home computer system and music synthesizer were rendered inoperable and had to be repaired.

On subsequent field tests on December 10, 1988; January 21, 1989; January 28 1989; and the last test being conducted on February 18, 1989; persistent levels of radiation and magnetic effects were noticed. The compass would fluctuate spinning wildly and the Gaus meter would indicate magnetic fields. The homes adjoining Dave's residence had either no readings or had normal levels of radiation.

The adjoining side street where the objects passed over yielded radiation levels in the street while fences and mailboxes were magnetized. The intersection two blocks away on the objects' flight path where they should have begun their ascent show normal radiation and no magnetic effects.

Accordingly, the only explanation that can be given is that unknown objects passed overhead emitting radiation and high frequency microwave transmissions. The high frequency microwaves would account for the magnetic effects. Stressed steel was eliminated as a source since the manufacturer of the shed told LIUFON that stressed steel was not used in their sheds. Unused nails used in the construction of the deck showed no magnetic effects even when they were hammered into wood.

The case is not closed. It has been learned from confidential sources that there may be an additional twelve witnesses in the area. The case continues.

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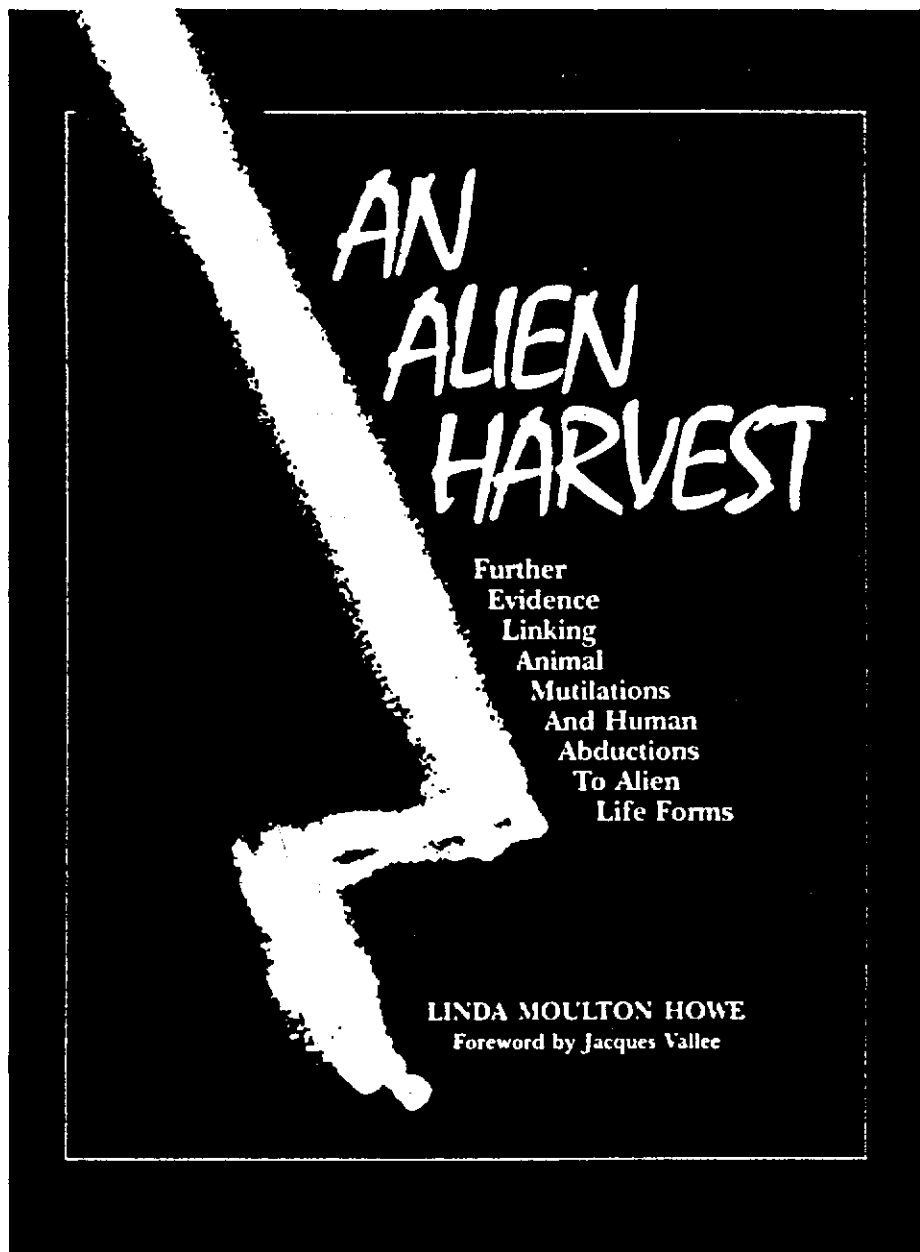
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